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TAGS: CASC, MX (SEHION, FLOYD HARRIS)

SUBJ: CONDITION OF WOUNDED PRISONER FLOYD HARRIS SEHION

1. IN MONITORING SEHION'S CONDITION, WE SPOKE ON DEC 19 WITH HIS WIFE WHO STATED SEHION HAS TAKEN TURN FOR WORSE. SHE SAID THAT SEHION'S RIGHT ARM HAS BECOME PARALYZED AND THAT DOCTORS HAVE DECIDED THAT CAUSE IS BULLET LODGED IN HEAD NEAR BRAIN. SHE STATED THAT DOCTORS NOW BELIEVE BULLET SHOULD BE REMOVED SOONEST, BUT THAT OPERATION TOO DELICATE BE PERFORMED PIEDRAS NEGRAS. SHE REPORTED THAT NEAREST SPECIALIST AND FACILITIES WOULD BE MONTERREY, BUT PROBLEM IS LACK OF MONEY. SHE STATED SHE UNABLE PAY FOR THESE COSTS.

2. WE THEN DISCUSSED SEHION'S CONDITION WITH DR. GUILLERMO ALVAREZ, WHO IS CHARGE CASE AT PIEDRAS NEGRAS CIVIL HOSPITAL. DR. ALVAREZ STATED THAT IN ADDITION RIGHT HAND, ACTUALLY WHOLE RIGHT SIDE OF BODY IS NOW PARALYZED. HE CONFIRMED THAT OPERATION SHOULD BE PERFORMED SOON AS POSSIBLE, BUT GOOD NEUROSURGEON NOT REPEAT NOT AVAILABLE PIEDRAS NEGRAS. HE AGREED WITH MRS. SEHION'S STATMENT THAT SEHION SHOULD BE REMOVED TO MONTERREY FOR OPERATION. MOST IMPORTANTLY, HE CONFIRMED THAT CIVIL HOSPITAL CANNOT FUND OPERATION.

3. WE ATTEMPTED TO REACH MAYORPIEDRAS NEGRAS FOR COMMENT, BUT HIS TELEPHONE OUT OF ORDER DEC 19.

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4. CAN EMBASSY RAISE THIS MATTER WITH FEDERAL AUTHORITIES ON

URGENT BASIS? WE BELIEVE AUTHORITIES MEXICO CITY MAY BE ONLY  
ONES WHO CAN ISSUE NECESSARY AUTHORIZATION TO PROVIDE MEDICAL  
SERVICES AND PAYMENT SEHION NEEDS THIS POINT. ANY COMMENTS OR  
ADVISE EMBASSY MAY WISH GIVE US WOULD BE APPRECIATED.  
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